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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2002, please amend the above identified application as follows.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the current abstract with the attached abstract on a separate sheet. A marked version of the changes to the abstract is also included.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0084] with the following

-- [0084] Through this step, a source region 319, a drain region 320, an LDD regions 321a and 321b, and a channel formation region 322 of the NTFT are defined. A drain region 323 and a source region 324 of the PTFT are also doped